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REMARKS

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25X1 1. At about 11:30 a.m. on 9 April, about 18 trucks with pontoons 25X1
5 other trucks and 1 large jeep were loaded in
Cottbus. 1

25X1 2. On 9 April, the Jaeger Kaserne (3341) in Luebben seemed to be again occupied to capacity. Six T-34/85 tanks were identified in the barracks yard. 25X1

25X1 3. Between 11:30 a.m. and 14:30 p.m. on 6 April, about 30 trucks towing morters, 20 trucks towing 85-mm AT guns, 15 trucks with ammunition boxes and about 130 other trucks, jeeps, radio trucks and tank trucks with troops wearing red-bordered black epaulets passed through Weixdorf from the direction of Bautzen and proceeded toward Dresden.

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25X1 4. At about 9:45 a.m. on 23 March, a column of 4 half-track armored personnel carriers with twin-barrel rapid-fire gun and 6 armored personnel carriers 25X1
each occupied by 12 soldiers wearing red-bordered
black epaulets moved along Koenigsbruecker Strasse toward Koenigsbrueck. 25X1

25X1 5. At about 4 p.m. on 9 April, about 15 trucks, each occupied by 15 to 20 soldiers wearing black-bordered crimson epaulets 25X1
passed through Radelstadt toward Saalfeld. 4

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25X1 1. Comment. an engineer unit of the 9th Mech Div was loaded. It is possible that the 82d Engr Bn of the 9th Mech Div was transferred to Apollendorf, which is the engineer training area of the Third Gds Mech Army. Compare with other shipment on 30 March. 25X1

25X1 2. Comment. Another report indicated that the 91st Tank Regt of the 9th Mech Div stationed in the Jaeger Kaserne participated in a division exercise in the Brand-Jueterbog area in mid-March. 25X1

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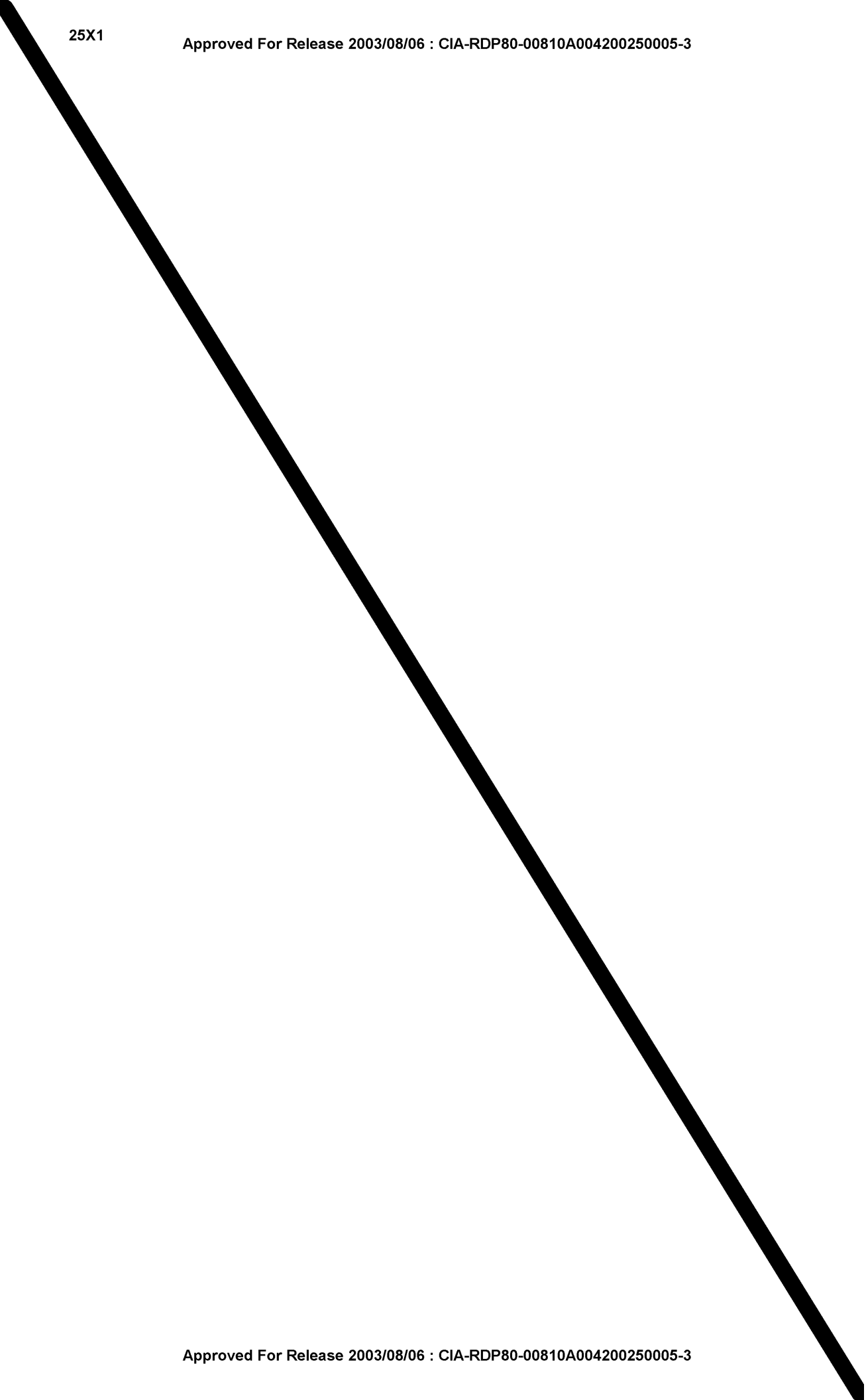

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